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WANTED—A girl to do chamber work in a leading hotel in New Westminster. To a suitable person highest wages will be paid. Address HOTEL TIMES office jy1tf

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LOST—Two Black Silk Parasols; left in some store or lost from carriage. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at the Times office. jy6 6t

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TO LET.—A Cottage, situated in pleasant locality and healthy part of the city; with or without furniture. Address "V.," at this office. jul5 6t

TO LET OR LEASE.—The Store on Government street, third south of Trounce Alley, occupied by Brown & White as a Dry Goods Store. Apply to BROWN & WHITE. my31 tf

TO RENT.—A small furnished house, quite in the country, with garden, about half-hour's walk from P. O. Use of stable if required. Apply to Messrs Lowenberg, Harris & Co. may18.

FOR RENT.—A Restaurant, and 15 rooms, doing a good business in connection with a Hotel; a good chance for a man and wife who thoroughly understand the business. For particulars apply at this office. my4

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FOR SALE—One pair carriage horses, 5 years old, 1 Clyde bay horse, 1 dark chestnut carriage horse, 1 bay saddle pony. Apply to Reynolds, Yates St. jy5 6t

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JOHN BOYD,
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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple corner Douglas and Fisgard streets.

J. R. B. ESHOUF, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. S. GRAY, President.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.

ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

P. H. DONOVAN,
ARCHITECT.
Office Fort street between Blanchard and Quadra.
VICTORIA, B. C.

Victoria Water Works

Regulation By-Law.

Until otherwise ordered by the Water Commissioner by notice to be published seven days before taking effect, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of September, both inclusive in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Water Works shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between five o'clock in the evening on the respective days mentioned and nine o'clock in the next following morning, namely:

In YATES STREET WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In JAMES' BAY WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

In JOHNSON STREET WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Water Works shall not be used for irrigating or street sprinkling outside of the limits of the said city. Consumers of water of the said Water Works will please note the above and govern themselves accordingly, as the Bylaw will be strictly enforced.

THOMAS RUSSELL,
Water Commissioner.

City Hall, May 27, 1887. may27

No 148.

A BYLAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1887.

Passed 29th June, 1887.

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The Assessment Roll of the said City for the year 1887 shall be returned by the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipal Council on the fifteenth day of July 1887.

2. All persons complaining of their respective assessments on the said Roll shall, within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning the said Roll, give notice thereof in writing to the Clerk of the Municipal Council, specifying in such notice the grounds of their respective complaints.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given under the last preceding section shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 17th day of August 1887 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as they can be heard. jy30

John Weiler,

MANUFACTURER OF

FURNITURE

OF ALL GRADES,

And Importer of

Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, Cutlery, Plated Ware, Carpets, Oilcloth, Linoleum,

AND EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

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WIRE MATTRESSES,

Only Mattress Manufactured in Canada using Oil Tempered Springs; awarded First Prize wherever exhibited, and testimonials from leading institutions throughout the whole Dominion. Call and examine them. Also

IRON BEDSTEADS
Combined with above Mattress.

☞ The Trade Supplied at Lowest Rates.

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FOR SALE,

Craigflower Steam Mills

Now doing a good business. Capable of making the best articles of

OATMEAL

In the Province. Also,

A PEARL BARLEY MILL

Together with a SAW MILL, 60-inch Saw. An Oatmeal Miller will find this a rare opportunity. Apply to

D. F. ADAMS.

CARIBOO.

An Interesting Budget of News from the Mines.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

BARKERVILLE, July 1.—The hills are fast assuming their mantle of green after having, for over six months, kept on their white winter covering, and the birds are singing for gladness that spring has come.

On Tuesday, the 21st ult., some enterprising citizen fired a royal salute at 6 a. m., waking up everybody to a realization that this was the 50th anniversary of the present reign. Flags were flung to the breeze and the town put on its holiday garb, but that is about all it did do. Men were too busy using the bountiful supply of water on their diggings to get time for any sports. The only event out of common occurring was a fire in one of the Chinese stores, which was promptly subdued by Capt. J. Denny and his fire brigade.

A visit to the Island Mountain mine shows that Mr. Dunlevy, with characteristic perseverance, is pushing everything to its fullest capacity. Everything is in active preparation to give a thorough test to this mine. Men are actively at work taking the Kurtz and Lane machinery to pieces to move it to a site being prepared for it under the lode on Island Mountain, near Jack of Clubs Lake.

The brick yard under Barker looks like business. A large house for men's quarters is being erected, and on the different branches of mining, at grading, getting out timber and firewood, making bricks and the moving and setting up of machinery forty-eight men are at present employed.

The B. C. or Bonanza claim is being opened up on the most approved mining principles. The hundred-foot levels are being started and the lode at this depth shows abundance of quartz, in fact, is practically inexhaustible. On the top of the roof on the surface it is 17 feet wide; away down where the tunnel is run it is 22 feet and at the bottom of the shaft it is 25 feet wide. I have sent by this mail some specimens I took from different places down to the 100-foot level. The assays kindly shown to me by Mr. Craib, mining engineer of the company, show an average of $35 26 to the ton.

The Black Jack has been attracting some attention lately from the fact that the owners can get gold every time they pound up a piece of quartz even if it is no bigger than your fist. This company have many advantages for starting the mine, good water power and plenty of quartz without sinking.

Things in the hydraulic claims are booming and miners anticipate an unusually good season for water. The Nason Co., on Antler, have their mill completed and have taken it off the contractor's hands, the capacity of the mill, as tested by a member of shareholders present, being satisfactory. This company may possibly be able to prove their ground this year, when some of the old-time wash-ups may be expected.

The Goat River prospectors have not come in yet, but sufficient confidence is felt in that part of the country to induce some more to go. Parties are fitting out to leave in about three days, or just as soon as the trail party sent out by the government are supposed to be through.

From Sault Ste. Marie.

A correspondent writing from Sault Ste. Marie states that the boom there has not decreased any, and the prospects of the "Soo" becoming one of the largest towns in the west are very bright. On every hand building is going on, and the continuous new arrivals greatly increasing the population of the town.

The first pier of the International bridge has been laid, over which immense quantities of wheat from the west will pass into the hands of the Canadian Pacific. Construction of the road from Algoma to the "Soo" is being pushed rapidly forward and the contractors expect to have communication with the American "Soo" by the end of September.

Capitalists here are about erecting a $50,000 hotel. The water power, which is certainly as grand as any in Canada, will no doubt be taken advantage of by manufacturers.

The Soo rapids immediately in front of the town are of unsurpassed beauty, and to watch large rafts of logs running the rapids is one of the most pleasing sights for a tourist to witness.

The canal on the American side has been taxed to its fullest capacity this season and vessel owners are complaining about delay to their crafts. They will no doubt feel pleased to see the Canadian canal started.

A PECULIAR ACTION.

Sir Charles Tupper Sued by a Lady for Detective Work.

A few days since reference was made in these columns to the fact that Sir Charles Tupper had been sued by a Mrs. R. B. Bell, a well known Ottawa lady, at whose house a considerable number of members board during the session, and whose husband is an employee in the House of Commons, has brought an action at law against Sir Charles Tupper to recover $550 as payment for services rendered by her as a private detective on the Intercolonial railway in the year 1881. The writ was served on Sir Charles yesterday, and Messrs. O'Connor & Hogg have filed an appearance on his behalf. Mrs. Bell's statement is that she was engaged by Sir Charles Tupper personally to assist her husband in detecting frauds and peculations that were taking place on the Intercolonial. Sir Charles was then Minister of Railways, but the arrangement with Mrs. Bell was made by him and not by the department. Mrs. Bell and her husband spent several months along the line of the Intercolonial on duty as private detectives and claim that they discovered a number of leakages and systematic peculations, and saved a large amount of money to the government. It is alleged that Sir Charles hoped to trap some of the employees under Mr. Mackenzie's government, but when the names of the guilty parties were reported to him he found they were his own friends, and promptly recalled the detectives. Mr. Bell was paid for his work by the railway department, but Mrs. Bell says she has never received anything for her services, although Sir Charles promised that he would find some means of paying her. The case will probably be tried at the next sitting of the Assize Court here.

Cheap.

The song and chorus with piano part of Awake O Happy Nation, price 10c. Also two beautiful new songs at C. A. Lombard & Co.'s, Government street.

—Tuning and Repairing—All kinds of musical instruments. H. Pauze, Jamieson's book store.

EASTERN CANADA.

Cholera in Montreal—A Fearful Accident on the C. P. R.

The China Mail Subsidy—Fire in the Quebec Citadel.

CHOLERA INFANTUM.

MONTREAL, July 7.—Canadian cholera is more prevalent this season than has been for many years back. Children are dying from cholera infantum at an alarming rate.

THE CHINA MAIL SUBSIDY.

OTTAWA, July 7.—The action of the Imperial House of Commons on the China mail contract has caused very little disappointment, as the Imperial Government has promised ample pecuniary support to the Canadian Pacific route, and a proportionate amount will be voted by the Dominion Government.

FOR THE PRESENT DECLINED.

It is understood the Dominion Government will not entertain the proposal for the purchase of the Intercolonial Railway, until the effect of the construction of the short line throughout the State of Maine has been ascertained.

THE QUEBEC FIRE.

QUEBEC, July 7.—By the fire last night which broke out in the stables attached to the barracks at the Citadel thousands of excited artisans did not seek their home till 3 a. m. to-day. The most intense alarm prevailed through the city till the fire was known to be under control. Many made way to the surrounding country fearing an explosion of the powder in the magazine would occur. The governor-general's and officers quarters and the stables of the artillery, the hospital and provincial armory, which contains 25,000 stands of arms was uninjured. The loss will foot up at least to $150,000. There was no insurance. An investigation into the cause of the fire will be in order.

MILLIONS OF SARDINES.

ST. JOHN, N. B., June 30.—Dark Harbor, a small land locked harbor on the west coast of the island of Grand Manan, has lately been discovered to be swarming with sardines. A heavy storm some time ago completely closed the small opening and it is supposed the fish were driven in just previously. Six hundred hogsheads have been taken and the water seems still alive with them. The fish sell at a high price as the supply at other places is small.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

A C. P. R. Train Goes Over an Embankment of Twenty Feet.

GALT, Ont., July 5.—A serious accident occurred on the Canadian Pacific Railroad, about one mile west of this city, tonight. A switch was left open, when the fast express came thundering along and jumped the track. The engine, baggage car and one passenger car went over the embankment, about 20 feet high. The first coach remained on the track. Among the injured are Conductor Rundell, ribs broken and wounds about the head; Engineer Spragg, badly scalded, arms and back; Fireman Johnson, badly scalded on face, arms and head; Mrs. Baldwin, of Toronto, wounded in the head; N. P. and L. S. Trowbridge, Detroit, slightly wounded; W. A. Deans, insurance inspector, of Toronto, badly wounded in head and legs; Rev. H. Clement, of Bridgetown, hip badly injured; J. Farrill, drug traveler, of Montreal, slightly injured; the news agent, badly cut; Cruikshank, of Detroit, badly injured on the hip; Baggageman Laurence, injured in the side and ribs; Mrs. Heatley, of Toronto, wrist and neck injured.

CABLE NEWS.

BLAINE AND CARNEGIE.

LONDON, July 7.—Jas. G. Blaine left London to-day for Edinburgh accompanied by the Lord Mayor of London and Senator Hale. The party occupied a royal saloon. The railway car was decorated with flags and the Maine coat of arms. Blaine will be the guest at Edinburgh of Andrew Carnegie, and perhaps will speak at the reception organized by the people at Edinburgh to show their recognition and appreciation for Andrew Carnegie.

THE MARQUIS OF HARTINGTON.

The Marquis of Hartington has written an open letter to the Liberals of Addington, urging them to support the Conservative candidate for Parliament.

THE GERMAN LOAN.

BERLIN, July 7.—The issue of the first hundred million marks of the new Imperial loan has been subscribed for seven times over. The bulk of those desiring to invest in the loan were private capitalists. The applications from Berlin parties alone amount to five hundred million marks.

Germany, says the Palestine *Society*, is buying land in Palestine on which it is proposed to found a Catholic station.

Chas. H. Bruggerman, the well-known German publicist, 77 years old, is dead.

AN AWFUL SENTENCE.

LONDON, June 30.—The captain and three seamen of the British bark Lady Douglas, which arrived from Gascogne in May, have been sentenced to death for murdering a Malay, a sailor. The defence was that the Malay was a fanatic and his condition was a constant menace to the safety of the ship and crew.

Miss Kate Field.

As mentioned in THE TIMES a few days since Miss Kate Field was a passenger by the Ancon for Alaska. We are pleased to learn that on her return to Victoria she will deliver one of her famous lectures, and of which full particulars will be made known in due course. Miss Field is described as a very able lecturess. In Portland she chose for her subject "Charles Dickens and his writings," and which was handled by her with consummate skill. Her discourse was an intellectual production of more than ordinary literary merit, and stamped her as a lady of deep research coupled with no common love of humor. During her stay in this city she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Munro.

ALBERNI NOTES.

How the Jubilee was Observed in this Flourishing Settlement.

(From our own Correspondent.)

ALBERNI, July 5.—Seldom to any nation has the privilege been granted of celebrating the jubilee of its sovereign. Since the English nation emerged from barbarism only three of its sovereigns have lived to see the year of their jubilee, and Queen Victoria, towards the close of this, the nineteenth century, is the third. During these weeks, in every city, town, village and rural district throughout her vast dominions, the occasion of Her Majesty's jubilee is being celebrated. Here, on the western shores of the Dominion of Canada, the people, even from the remotest cabins, came pouring in toward a common centre on Friday last, to give such expression to their feelings of loyalty and devotion to their Queen as their circumstances permitted. At times one cannot help wondering what the future of the British Empire may be; whether the present order of things may continue in the centuries to come, or whether the restlessness and love of change characteristic of the age may eventually lead to the overthrow of the institutions of past generations, and to the establishment of a different form of government. Judging from the expressions of loyalty to the person and government of Queen Victoria so fully indulged in on this jubilee occasion, apparently unfeigned and spontaneous, the day of change and revolution would appear to be very far distant. At all events it never can be said that it was the tyranny of Victoria, or want of sympathy with her people, or her personal private character which led the English people to desire a change. For it is universally admitted that she is one of the most exemplary, one of the most illustrious, one of the best sovereigns that ever sat upon a throne either in ancient or modern times.

Dominion day was the day on which the people here also celebrated the Queen's jubilee. The day was beautiful and summer like. Quite early the people began to gather on a long open plain, with plenty of shade trees along its borders, near the steamboat landing, and under the able and energetic management of Messrs. Huff, Little and Jolly, an interesting programme of games was arranged, and upwards of $60 collected as prizes. Messrs. K. McKenzie and Clarke acted as judges. The horse racing seemed to create considerable excitement and to call for special interest. Geo. Taylor's horse won the prize. The usual athletic sports, jumping, running, putting the stone, &c., were all in turn engaged in by the young men with good spirit. I am not in possession of a prize list, but it was remarked that a large share of the prizes seemed to fall to the lot of a young man in the school settlement. A platform having been erected in a shady place an opportunity was afforded to those who enjoy dancing to gratify their tastes. Quite a few availed themselves of the opportunity, and prolonged their exercises with manifest zest and enjoyment under the friendly light of the moon. Mr. Gill, with great good will, supplied the music. In the matter of refreshments some brought baskets with them, and had a basket picnic. Some withdrew to Mr. Gill's house near by, where Mrs. Kirkpatrick had an excellent dinner in readiness. Mrs. Sarcault and Mrs. Guillid invited a large number of their friends and neighbors to luncheon. Their table was spread under the favoring shade of a clump of firs, and there a sumptuous and tastefully prepared repast was served by these ladies, and was evidently much relished and appreciated by their guests. Mrs. Guillid has been spending a few weeks with Mrs. Sarcault, while Mr. Guillid, as Indian Agent, has been attending to his duties in the vicinity. We all wish that we could have Mr. and Mrs. Guillid as permanent residents instead of occasional visitors. The people seemed to enjoy the opportunity of meeting one another under such pleasant circumstances—of sharing each other's hospitality, and of recalling and discoursing upon the events, the inventions and wonderful improvements of the last fifty years. D.

Canadian Failures.

From Messrs. Dun, Wiman & Co.'s half yearly report of the failures in Canada to the 30th of June last we learn that the failures for the first six months were as follows:

Provinces.	1st Quarter. No.	1st Quarter. Liabilities.	2nd Quarter. No.	2nd Quarter. Liabilities.	Total for 6 mos. No.	Total for 6 mos. Liabilities.
Ontario	116	$1,000,000	154	$1,000,000	270	$2,000,000
Quebec	111	1,000,000	145	1,000,000	256	2,000,000
Nova Scotia	37	200,000	37	200,000	74	400,000
New Brunswick	31	300,000	31	300,000	62	600,000
Prince Edward Island	4	20,000	4	20,000	8	40,000
British Columbia	11	100,000	11	100,000	22	200,000
Manitoba	11	100,000	11	100,000	22	200,000
Total	321	$2,720,000	393	$2,720,000	714	$5,440,000
Newfoundland	8	$60,000	9	$70,000	17	$130,000

It will be observed by the foregoing that in point of number Ontario had more than fifty per cent. of all the failures, but in the amounts involved New Brunswick foots up to nearly fifty per cent. of the total sum. In our own province the failures were twelve and the sums involved $86,000, being the lowest in the list.

The Hastings Saw Mill.

It is reported that all employees in connection with this old established concern have been discharged and that the establishment will not be run any longer under the arrangement which has existed between the lessee and the owners. The rental paid, it is reported, was $10,000 a year, a sum which those working the mill regard as too high. Negotiations are in progress, however, to utilize the establishment as a saw mill and lumber manufacturing establishment. The property is a valuable one; its shipping facilities being unrivalled and the name it enjoys in foreign marts is a very enviable one. The timber limits are of great value, as they embrace some of the best growing timber in the province.

CITY COUNCIL.

The regular weekly meeting of the City Council was held last evening. Present were His Worship Mayor Fell, in the chair, and Couns. Braden, Higgins, Vigelius, Styles, Pearse, Harris and Barnard.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Drake, Jackson & Helmcken calling attention to the state of Mrs. Lee's property, Belville street, and asking compensation. Referred to Street Committee.

From H. P. Bell, C. E., stating that he had received Messrs. Hendry and Mahood's reports regarding the proposed water works extension, and asking that these gentlemen should meet and discuss with him matters contained in their respective reports; also, that he should have access to the water gauge in the City Hall night and day.

Coun. Pearse criticised Mr. Bell's report as a most useless one.

Coun. Barnard said Mr. Bell had been employed as consulting engineer and his request should be granted.

His Worship said Mr. Bell had not been appointed consulting engineer, and he would like to know why he had not sent in his report.

Coun. Braden said Mr. Mahood had taken Mr. Hendry's figures while Mr. Bell took his own.

Coun. Harris regretted that Mr. Bell's report should be called a useless one. The impression that Mr. Hendry's reply to Mr. Bell conveyed was that he was abandoning his own scheme.

On motion by Coun. Barnard, seconded by Coun. Braden, it was resolved to call a meeting on Monday evening next to go into the water works question.

MONTHLY ACCOUNTS.

Accounts for the month of June amounting to $2,839.66 were read and ordered to be paid if found correct.

DRAINAGE.

Coun. Harris asked for an additional $40 for to carry out the tracing of the drainage plans.

STREETS.

The Street Committee reported recommending that a sidewalk be laid on the east side of Blanchard street from Pandora to Johnson streets, that a sidewalk be laid on the south side of Erie street from St. Lawrence street to Dallas road, that a box drain be laid in the ravine of the east side of Park road one of the residents having promised that he will supply the lumber for the same and that the usual notice be published in the newspapers warning property owners to destroy thistles on their property. Report adopted.

ALTERATION OF WOODEN BUILDINGS.

From the fire wardens recommending that the application of Mr. R. T. Williams to alter a wooden building on Broad street be not granted, as it would be a violation of the "Fire limit by-law, 1885." Report adopted.

REMUNERATION.

Coun. Braden moved that Mr. Hargreaves be communicated with, with a view to remunerating him for certain services. Carried.

HACK FARES.

Coun. Barnard gave notice that he would introduce at next meeting an amendment to by-law 137 entitled a by-law for regulating hacks and for establishing a scale of charges for the use thereof.

HIS WORSHIP'S PICNIC.

His Worship in recounting his experiences of the past week said he was sorry that the whole council had not taken the opportunity to visit the celebrations at the sister cities Vancouver and Tacoma. He had to say of the people of Vancouver that they were jolly good fellows and did everything up to the handle. He could scarcely realize that the city which he saw there was but the work of a year.

Coun. Braden—You are booming the town.

When he went to Vancouver he found that there was a great deal of hard feeling there against Victorians, but all this was buried and they did everything to entertain their visitors. At Tacoma the representatives of Victoria were received with open arms. The presence of H. M. S. Caroline had done a great deal of good.

Coun. Higgins—Will it settle the fishery question? (Laughter.)

His Worship—It will settle a great many things. You may laugh and snicker and sneer all you like, but I tell you these things have their good effect upon people's minds. Sir Wm. Wiseman is a perfect gentleman and has the perfect control of his men whom he rules by love. At Tacoma he allowed 150 of the 175 men on the ship to go on shore and enjoy themselves, a thing that had never been done by a British officer before. The people over at Tacoma informed him that they would shortly come over and see their cousins here, but His Worship informed them that we were too poor to entertain them as they had treated him.

Coun. Higgins—You ought to receive a vote of the council.

Coun. adjourned at 9 o'clock.

Another Scottish Peer.

Another great Scotch peer is now at the Driard, in the person of the Earl of Loudoun, who is accompanied by his wife, the Countess of Loudoun. His Lordship, who is 33 years of age, as a rent-roll of £40,000 sterling a year. He possesses 23,000 acres in the old country, and he is the owner of two livings in the English Church. Like the Marquis of Huntley, Earl Loudoun sits and votes in the House of Lords for the inferior English title of Baron Bortreaux; and his family name is Charles Abney Hastings. His Lordship's title dates from the reign of Richard the II (1368); so that his title was created about 120 years before this great continent of America was ever discovered. A truthful, though it may be a somewhat cynical, English publication says of him "His Lordship is entitled to distinction thus far as one of the few peers that have handled no public pay;" "but," it adds, "he is only a young man yet!" The Countess is a sister of the second Baron Howard of Glossop, Lancashire. Lord Loudoun is out fishing to-day and so is the Marquis of Huntley. Both are likely to remain in Victoria some time yet.

Attractions at Fulton Market.

Residents of the city, as well as visitors, should not miss the opportunity of visiting Fulton Market, Johnson street, where are to be seen a collection of monkeys, trained; speaking parrots, mocking birds, English thrushes, black birds and starlings, magpies, and many other species of the singing and feathered tribe. Tourists in want of souvenirs can do no better than give this place a call.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FRASER, the ARCHITECT.

A SAD CASE.

A Crime and its Direct Results that Are to be Deplored.

Time for the Truckee forger, A. P. Clarke, in Victoria's gaol is now drawing painfully short. The necessary extradition papers, in possession of detective Jerome Deney, will arrive Monday and the prisoner given up. With the crime is associated the death of Mrs. Regli by her own hand from mental worry consequent upon certain disclosures that Clarke intended making on his coming trial in Truckee. During the extradition trial here, counsel for the prisoner attempted to elicit from Mrs. Regli the whereabouts of a certain package of money—some $30,000, but Mr. Justice Crease would not allow it, as irrelevant to the case before him. That Clarke knew how and where that money went is painfully apparent, and intended using it to the best possible means of revenge. This, seemingly, has been accomplished in the death of the lady, a handsome blonde, who gave evidence in our court as composed as could be, and without an outward sign of any internal disquietude or worry that must raged within her. As for Clarke's lady-love, Frankie Whitcombe, he met her in Colorado several years ago and became madly infatuated with her. After removing to Truckee the wily fair one again met him and he was tempted and fell. He was cunning enough not to place in her name much money; what she had she earned on the variety stage. She left a few mornings ago for St. Louis in company with two other performers. The whole affair is one of those puddles that should not have been stirred up, although that is compounding a crime and punishable. Clarke knew too much of his late employer's private social life, and under that cover felt that his crime would be overlooked on the principle of "good riddance to bad rubbish." The unfortunate affair summarized would lead one to believe that the reward of stern justice is not equivalent to a life, and that is the fruits of this case so far.

Lieutenant-Governor Aikins.

The Hon. J. C. Aikins, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, accompanied by Mrs. Aikins, Miss Somerset and Mr. L. C. Clarke, the Governor's private secretary, arrived from the east last night and are guests at the Driard. His Honor is in his 64th year, having been born in 1823; is a native of Peel county, Ont.; in 1854 was elected as a Brownite and sat in the Canadian Assembly in Toronto for that Parliament and the following one; in 1862 he was elected as Legislative Councillor for the Home division. The system then of electing Senators was by the popular vote, and Mr. Aikins carried his division by a considerable majority. Hon. Mr. Aikins was one of the few Senators named in the British North America Act. He sat in the Senate until appointed Lieutenant-Governor for Manitoba in 1882, as successor to the late Hon. Joseph Cauchon. Up to the period of confederation the honorable gentleman was a Reformer, and considered to be an advanced member of that party. Since then he has been allied with the Conservatives, and under Sir John has held Cabinet portfolios. During his political career he was instrumental in introducing and carrying through many measures of great advantage to the public. He is still a vigorous, well preserved gentleman; is very popular in Winnipeg with all classes of the community. In religion he is a Wesleyan Methodist. To-day, in company with Mr. H. H. Smith, he went through Chinatown. In the afternoon they visited Esquimalt, the dry dock and H. M.'s ships. His party will remain in the city for a few days. With the trip across the prairies and the mountains he was greatly pleased.

The Windermere Springs.

Our correspondent at the Windermere Hot Springs, Columbia Lakes, in the Kootenay district, sends THE TIMES the following list of visitors now at this favorite watering place and summer resort: Mr Moore, London; Mrs Pressewell, P M, Donald; M Gualin, London; Dr Powell, Victoria; M A McVettie, Calgary; Col Herchmer, N W M P, Calgary; Mrs and Miss Wells, Golden City; A W Vowell, Mr and Mrs Manuel, Miss Kempton, Mrs Grant, Donald; Lieut and Lady Adele Cochrane, Isle of Wight, England, and others.

By the next trip of the steamer Duchess from Golden City a large number of eastern tourists are expected.

It is reported here, and I think correctly, that the Messrs. Galbraith are about to erect a large and commodious hotel at the hot springs. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Galbraith, who are now residing near Victoria, have been greatly missed by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances in this locality, and the prospect of their returning at an early date is hailed with delight. They will receive right royal welcome on their arrival.

Windermere is going ahead. Messrs Brady and Bacon have opened a general store here and Mr. George Stark's new hotel is in full blast.

Attempted Jail Breaking.

Ah Kip was arraigned before the Police Magistrate yesterday morning for being in unlawful possession of an accordeon and was remanded till to-morrow. This morning he was discovered in the act of cutting his way out of his cell and had nearly accomplished his object. Owing to the flimsy character of the structure he had easily removed several bricks from the interior of the cell and would in a short time have been able to push out those on the outside and to have gained his freedom. His detection, which was a mere accident, prevented the second escape from the lockup within a week. This is a rather startling showing in view of the fact that the lockup is new, having been constructed but a few weeks ago at cost of something like $1000. It shows also that the police committee have been either exceedingly careless in the discharge of their duty or exceedingly ignorant of what was required to secure the safe keeping of prisoners.

Suggestions to Fishermen.

In past years many valuable salmon nets have been destroyed on the Fraser during the fishing season by crafts plying up and down the river. Occasionally steamers have had nets wound round their propellers and have had to be beached to free them from the entanglement and start the machinery running. With a view to avoiding loss and trouble of this kind Capt. White has written to the Colonist to suggest to fishermen on the river that they adopt some fixed rules for letting [illegible] their nets and where [illegible] letting stakes [illegible] side of the river. [illegible] and well [illegible] be a real [illegible] by those concerned.

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AN IMPORTANT CASE.

As many of our readers are aware, the right to the land, minerals and timber in what has been known as the debateable or disputed territory, *i. e.*, that section of country lying west of Lake Superior and bounded by the eastern limit of Manitoba, and awarded to Ontario by the Privy Council, has been for some time in litigation. The Ontario Court of Appeal, sometime since, unanimously decided in favor of the province, and a few days since the Supreme Court of Canada, although not unanimously, also decided the same way. Justices GWYNNE and STRONG delivered judgments upholding the contention of the Federal Government. Four of the other judges took an opposite view. If the accuracy of the report may be relied upon, neither of the opinions ran on the line it might have been expected to take. Mr. STRONG, in recognizing a complete title in the Indians, went beyond the usually accepted idea of a right of occupancy merely; and the other judges, in holding that there was no title in the Indians, and that treaties were made with them were made merely to secure amicable relations, seems to have ignored the hitherto undoubted right of occupation, in the absence of a complete title. The doctrine of extinguishing, not acquiring, whatever right the Indians had, is, so far as we know, new. The acquisition of this right, whatever it is, has always hitherto been supposed to confer on the government the right to sell the lands, which it did not previously possess. This acquisition, however made, might, under the constitution, inure to Ontario, and in that case the amount of the purchase money may be found to be due to the Dominion. All these State cases are liable to go to the Privy Council, and it remains to be seen whether this will be an exception. It is to be hoped that this vexed question will shortly be settled and the end of a costly suit at last reached, for it is very desirable that there should meanwhile be some arrangement between the two governments, which would tend to facilitate mining, lumbering and settlement in the disputed territory.

COMMERCIAL UNION.

The Toronto *Week* in discussing the topic of commercial union says: Let us, by all means, have unrestricted trade intercourse with the States—when the States have unrestricted trade intercourse with the rest of the world. A chief fault of commercial union is that it would tie Canada to the tail of a cart that is traveling in the wrong direction, on a road that must be abandoned before many years elapse. Why form a partnership with a country whose commercial operations, apart from that in food-stuffs, which Canada can do as well, are practically limited to the supply of its own population? The States have no foreign trade Canada need envy; and foreign trade beyond the limits of this continent is the one thing Canada wants. A partnership with the States, as compared with one with England, would be like a partnership with a co-operative firm whose trade is limited to what its members consume, whereas a partnership with England would afford all the advantages, not only of self-supply, but of established business connections, with all the facilities of trade, in every quarter of the world, in markets that can absorb every possible variety of produce. Canada would be mad if she imperilled, much less severed, her present connection with Great Britain, with all the advantages for development afforded by the British Consular and Diplomatic services, for the sake of allying herself with a country which is growing rich, it is true, by the development of natural resources—just as well as Canada may do equally well without any alliance—but whose chance of growing richer by the sort of trade that has made Great Britain so preponderatingly wealthy, and of which we may have a share, is about equal to that of two or three boys locked up in a room trading jack knives.

Sir Charles Tupper sails for England on the 17th inst.

It is reported that the American Express Company unsuccessfully attempted to secure shares in the Dominion Express operating the line of Canadian Pacific Railway.

The turning of the first sod of the Manitoba railway was witnessed by thousands of people. Premier Norquay turned the first sod and made a brief speech, followed by other cabinet ministers.

—The fate of the projected Provincial railway from Winnipeg to the boundary has been settled as far as the Federal Government are concerned. The cabinet it is understood has passed an order-in-council disallowing the act passed by the Manitoba government. The feeling in high official circles is, that the scheme will fall through.

THE AGITATION SPREADING.

The Commercial Union picnic held at Dufferin Lake, near Orangeville, Ont., last Friday, was a great success, both as regards the number in attendance—it being estimated that at least four thousand people were present—the importance of the occasion and the speeches delivered. The principal speakers were Mr. ERASTUS WIMAN, New York; Hon. BENJ. BUTTERWORTH, Senator of Ohio; Gen. WAUL, Texas, and Hon. WM. MCDOUGALL, Ottawa. All advocated commercial union between Canada and the States. The speech of the occasion was made by Mr. WIMAN, and was both eloquent and convincing. A resolution in favor of commercial union was carried unanimously. There can be no doubt as to the hold Commercial union is taking upon the people from one end of Canada to the other. A similar interest is being awakened in the United States, so that it is quite probable satisfactory results will follow the present agitation.

Mr. ERASTUS WIMAN, the New York millionaire, is a moving spirit in the scheme. Mr. WIMAN still maintains his British allegiance and has not as yet taken out his papers of naturalization of the United States. In his letter of invitation to the Hon. WM. MACDOUGALL to be present at the Dufferen Lake picnic—a locality in which Mr. WIMAN is pecuniary interested, he writes:

It is thirty-six years ago this spring that in the goodness of your heart you took me, a poor boy, into your printing office at the magnificent emolument of $1.25 per week, enabling me to support my widowed mother and at the same time to acquire a knowledge of an art that I have always been proud to possess. Your unfailing kindness and interest in me have contributed more than anything else to the success which has been achieved in after life. You had just then established the newspaper known as *The North American*, and had laid out for yourself a platform, the planks in which appeared to be of a very comprehensive and far-reaching character. Among these were the abolition of the clergy reserves, representation by population, decimal currency and numerous other principles, all of which I believe have in one way or another been since perfected. One only, I think, remains unachieved, which is unrestricted trade relations with the United States. Long in coming, this idea seems now to dawn upon the Canadian mind, and its possibility, so far as the United States are concerned, never was so great as at the present moment.

In thanking his former employee for the invitation to speak, Mr. MACDOUGALL said:

I hope you and your friend Mr. Butterworth will be able to give us such reasonable assurances of a willingness on the part of the Washington Government and its supporters in Congress to negotiate a comprehensive treaty of reciprocity with Canada on equitable terms and for a definite period as may justify the present movement. I had the honor to be consulted and to advise with the negotiators on our side in 1873-4, and though I was a member of the Canadian Government when that treaty was abrogated, I can aver that I was no party to the unfriendly expression and unneighborly acts which provoked its abrogation. And though I advocated, as you know, a moderate increase of our tariff in 1878-9 as against the prohibitive tariff of our neighbors, I have never doubted that a new treaty of commercial reciprocity, even "unrestricted" between us and them, would be a great benefit to our farming population.

There are twenty-four Dominion election protests in Ontario, or one in every fourth constituency. In eleven of the twenty-four there are cross-petitions.

The trial of the Haldimand election petition will take place at Cayuga on 4th October next. Chancellor Boyd will be the Judge.

Great Britain imports 9,000,000 lbs of oleomargarine in a month, and is honest enough to admit it in her Board of Trade returns. It would be better that the importation of oleomargarine under its own name were permitted in Canada than that the article should smuggle itself in under the names of butter and soap-grease, and in one case swindle the consumer and the other the revenue.

The Half-breed Commission has just resumed its labors in the Northwest. Advices received by the department state that Commissioners Goulet and Cote have reached Prince Albert whence they will descend the Saskatchewan river by steamer to Lake Winnipeg, visiting the various settlements, and adjusting claims at the various settlements *en route*. The places to be visited are Fort a la Corne, the Pas, Cumberland House and Grand Rapids. They will also visit Norway House, Berens River and Fort Alexander, on Lake Winnipeg. The Commission is authorized to settle claims and grant scrip or certificates for land to adult half-breeds, half-breed children or original white settlers actually settled in the territories on the 15th of July, 1870. Half-breed children are allowed $240 in scrip or certificates entitling them to 240 acres of land. Adult half-breeds will receive scrip equivalent to 160 acres of land. This season's trip will wind up the labors of the commission.

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From Ottawa it is reported that the government has disallowed the Manitoba boundary railway act.

The Queen has cabled her thanks to the Canadians for their expressions of loyalty.

The Thistle is beating everything coming before her in the yacht line.

Parnell's health is pronounced by his physician to be good.

SONORA'S LOST MINES.

Ex-Cadet Flipper's Investigations—Going Through the Old Workings.

Capt. Allen McIntyre, who runs the Lake Superior company's steamer Peerless between Chicago and Duluth, has just returned from a winter's sojourn in Sonora, old Mexico, where he has been for health and pleasure. As to the reported mineral discoveries, Capt. McIntyre does not pretend to be an authority in such matters. He brought home several specimens of the ore from Taoja groups, a portion of the so called lost mines, but to the eye of experience in such matters the ore does not threaten a bonanza. The ore is free milling, but the highest assay claimed for it is $60 a ton, and this is carried in a vein not much over three or four feet wide. It is said, however, that much richer ore is being worked in a feeble way by the Mexicans in other parts of the Taoja group. "What interested me most," said Capt. McIntyre "was the dreadfully rough country we had to traverse to get to this terra incognita. The region lies about 100 miles in an air line southeast of Torres, a station on the Guaymas branch of the Atchison and Topeka road. The country is a delightful one until you strike the foothills of the Sierra Madre range, and then it becomes grandly wild. Our party clambered for miles and miles where even the mules could hardly get a footing."

"Were the stories of Flipper's finding some records in an old ruined mission correct?"

"Not exactly. Flipper did make the acquaintance, however, of an American there who had married the niece of a famous old padre, who lived a century or more ago, and this American had a large library, containing some works over 200 years old. Flipper knows Spanish thoroughly, and he went through some of these old books and manuscripts. It is by that means he got an inkling of where to look for the abandoned mining regions of Gujanoca and Tayoja. Flipper and Kruse went after one and M. J. Power, a miner in Mexico, and myself went for the other. The story published of ruins of villages, arastras, and other remains of an abandoned industry are correct. It was mighty interesting to me to go through these old workings. I believe within a radius of a mile I could have counted over 100 openings to these ledges. So far as we could determine, there are three ledges converging toward a center. I have no doubt that further development by modern mining methods will show that these ledges will come together, though, of course, that is only conjecture.

"One can see that these mines have been worked in a most primitive method. Even now they are not wholly abandoned. We found one aged Mexican with a burro who was getting out ore from a place where he had tapped one of the ledges. He told us that his burro could carry 250 pounds of ore. This he took some ten miles down the stream, where another Mexican had an arastra, and there the ore was worked. Each cargo, as he called the burro's load, netted him about $60, but having got that much there was no more 'mining' until the money was exhausted. These mines I have no doubt are valuable, but it will take heavy capital to operate them—especially those in the Tayoja group. They are silver mines—much more costly to work. The Guyanoca mines are gold, and if they are as represented—I did not see them—they are undoubtedly a bonanza."

"What other evidences do you find that these mines were worked by the ancients?"

"O, none, but the ruined adobe houses, the wrecked arastras and the tunnels that had ages ago caved. There were three or four ancient 'dumps' through which trees were growing, and I saw one broken arastra that had an oak tree nine or ten inches in diameter running right up through the bottom. It is years and years since that arastra was worked. But," continued the captain, "I was more struck with the agricultural and cattle raising possibilities of Sonora than anything else. I rode over thousands and thousands of acres of as fine grazing and agricultural lands as the sun ever shone upon. Men without capital could amass fortunes here in no time raising cattle for the American market. Sonora is veritably a cattleman's paradise. There is a lovely climate, abundant water, native grasses by the league, plenty of shade from thousands of oaks in the huge pastures; no snow, no cold, no blizzards and consequently no loss of stock. Mexican herders—and no more faithful set of workers can be found anywhere—can be hired for fifty cents a day and board themselves. Native cattle are dirt cheap. Cross them with American bulls and the result is some fine stock."—Chicago Tribune.

The Universal Measures.

The metric system of weights and measures, according to Mr. Jackson, of the Paris Geographical society, is now obligatory by law in the Argentine Republic, Austria and Hungary, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Chili, Colombia, Denmark, Ecuador, France and colonies, Germany, Greece, Italy, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway, Paraguay, Peru, Portugal, Roumania, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland, with a total population of 241,973,011. It is optional by law in Canada, Great Britain and Ireland, Persia and the United States, with 97,636,825 inhabitants. It is often used without having legal value in Egypt, British India, Russia, Turkey, Uruguay and Venezuela, with a combined population of 353,266,986. The system was first established in France in 1793, and standards were adopted in 1799.—Arkansaw Traveler.

Men Who Wear Corsets.

There are men who wear corsets. It is generally known that for some time individuals of that mental caliber have existed in limited numbers. It remained, however, for the present style of big legged breeches to bring us still another caper for the "daft" young men. The boys have taken to wearing hoop skirts. It takes a hoop for each leg and the hoop fastens at the hips. They are used to keep the big legged breeches in shape. Bustles will probably come next, and then we may expect to see the too utterly tooey young men with birds on their hats.—Atlanta Constitution.

Steam Heat in Railway Cars.

The Engineering News, in the course of an able article on the substitution of steam heat for stove heat in railway cars, shows that no more than 2 1-2 to 3 1-2 per cent. of the locomotive's supply of steam is required for heating the average train. It adds that this quantity can be obtained without reducing the load, increasing the heat surface, decreasing the speed, or decreasing the loss by radiation. It is only necessary to push the fires a little when the locomotive is on a level or down a grade and to use steam that can be spared while the train is resting at stations.—Chicago Times.

The Lives of Ships.

The lives of ships are more precarious than those of mortals. They perish at the annual rate of about thirty in the 1,000, whereas our general chances are one-third better. But these losses of ships carry with them the lives of many brave men; with the wrecks above enumerated 14,678 seamen were lost and 1,948 passengers. In this bald statement what vistas of suffering, incapacity, carelessness, negligence, misfortune and heroism are opened up!—Scribners' Magazine.

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Have you ever enjoyed an alligator hunt? If you have not my experience may be interesting. Before starting out I was told that alligator hunting was an exciting sport. I found it particularly so. The other day we chartered a steam launch for the trip. Our party consisted of five, who had never seen an alligator in his native home, and the captain of the launch, who was an old sportsman in alligator hunting. We were armed with good rifles, and had a full supply of ammunition. Our destination was Lake Cypress and Cypress river, where reports said the alligators were plentiful. The trip across the lake was very fine, and in the course of an hour we arrived at the mouth of Distan canal, which connects the Cypress lake with Cypress river, and is about ten miles long. It is cut through a country of rich tropical growth. In an hour and a half we reached a smaller lake, and on the opposite side was the wished for Cypress river. Our trolling line had resulted in a fine mess of fish. Finding a good camping ground we landed, built a fire and began cooking the catch, which, with our other stores, furnished an excellent meal.

We then pushed our way up the river, and were soon among the alligators. The first we saw was a good sized creature over eight feet long, and I am not likely to forget it for some time. The animal lay apparently asleep on the bank among the tall grass and palmetto bushes. The captain raised his rifle and blazed away. His aim was good and the ball struck the right eye. Instead of making for the water, as wounded alligators generally do, the creature lay quite still. We all believed it dead, and working the boat to shore, we leaped on the bank with a shout of victory. One of the party and myself caught the prize by the tail and endeavored to pull it further up the bank while the others hailed our companions. But the alligator was not dead. With one flip of the tail it sent us heels upwards in less time than it takes to write the fact. The rest of the party began to beat a hasty retreat toward the boat while I was picking myself up.

A RUN FOR DEAR LIFE.

At that moment the captain shouted to run for dear life, as we had "hit a hornets' nest." The alligator was a female and was nursing a nest of young. The rest of the party got safely on the boat, but as I was nearest the wounded alligator her sound eye soon detected me, and the chase began. With wide open mouth bristling with sharp teeth she made for me, and I took to my heels. By some means the animal got between the boat and me and my retreat was cut off. I was not long in discovering that I was on a small island. The alligator appeared every moment to grow larger and larger to my distorted vision. I was fairly cornered, and at last took to the water, forgetting in my fright that an alligator is as formidable in the water as on land. As I dashed into the river Mrs. Alligator was close upon me. I expected every moment to have those wide open jaws shut about my body. There I stood, up to my waist in the river, and within six feet of me was the maddened alligator, one eye running with blood, the other like a burning coal. I could have shot her easily, but found that my rifle was not loaded and all my ammunition was in the boat.

I was in despair and considering whether to swim to the boat or club my rifle and fight, when I heard a rifle crack, followed quickly by another, and the alligator was a corpse. The party then landed, built a fire, and I dried my clothes while the others ate their dinner. Somehow I did not have much appetite left. We re-embarked and started for more alligators. I did not leave the boat after that, but with the rest did some fair shooting. We killed nine, piled all the carcasses in the row boats behind the launch, and took them down the river to our first camping ground. There, with an axe, we cut off all the heads and buried them. They will be left in that place until the teeth, which are valuable, rot out, when they can be secured. The captain took off all the hides, with which we presented him for the use of the launch.—Kissimee Cor. New York Mail and Express.

Beating a Railroad Corporation.

How strange it is that to the average man there is such keen enjoyment in beating a railroad corporation out of a few cents! A man, or a woman, either, will spend money for all sorts of idle fooleries, for candies, superfluous millinery, neckties and oyster stews; they will not shrink at a quarter for bananas, and will rush the season for strawberries, but the moment the gentle conducter demands full fare for their 13-year-old girl or a half fare for their youngest boy, how injured they feel! What an indignity it is, and how the insult creeps through all their sluggish blood like swift fire through prairie grasses, when they have to pay their fare after having been blessed with a free pass for years, or give a reason why they have not supplied themselves, after many days, with a monthly ticket.

Absolutely, I have witnessed more niggardliness and petty meanness and absolute dishonesty among so called reputable people in the matter of railroad tickets than I like to think of. I have seen elegantly dressed mothers bicker over the question of a child's age, dreading to spend the few necessary cents for a ticket, which same amount they would willingly expend in unhealthy indulgence of the child's appetite. I have heard parents tell their children to "sit down low and make themselves as small as possible" just to deceive the conductor and beat a fare out of the road.—Amber in Chicago Journal.

A Badge for the Veteran.

For special bravery upon the battlefield the French soldier receives the Cross of the Legion of Honor, the Prussian the Iron Cross, the British the Victoria Medal, and so on throughout the armies of the world. Our own government, however, permits no official medals, excepting a very limited few provided by act of congress. The Grand Army of the Republic has devised a metal button, and the Loyal Legion one of red, white and blue silk, which are worn in the upper buttonhole of the left lapel of the coat. The right to wear either of these badges was won on the battlefield by weary marches and faithful service in the Union armies during the late war. It may be vanity, but the men who are entitled to this distinction are proud of it. I don't know that I deserve any special credit for doing my duty under fire, as well as elsewhere, but you know a fellow is naturally proud of the fact that when the rub came he had the nerve to stay there like a man.

I have noticed of late a great variety of devices worn by people said to be members of various secret societies precisely in the same manner, and to the casual observer identical with the button of the Grand Army. To the outsider doubtless these men are veterans of many battles, while to old soldiers they are people sailing under false colors, and are regarded with that contempt which naturally follows such knowledge. I am not aware of any law forbidding the wearing of major general's shoulder straps by any civilian, but public opinion would scarcely tolerate such an act. If a man in Europe should wear as close an imitation of the medals referred to as exists in this instance he would be arrested and severely punished.—G. A. R. in Globe Democrat.

AT THE SODA FOUNTAIN.

How "Constitution Bracers," "Phosphaters," etc., Are Fizzed Out.

A sad eyed youth mechanically manipulated the faucets of a soda fountain on Broadway the other day and fizzed out for a reporter a mixed drink poetically called phosphate. It had a mixed taste and a lingering farewell to it, that caused the scribe to pause and listen to the youth. "Yes," he said, leaning against the counter and making himself comfortable, "the business is growing complex. No mere chuckled headed chump can squirt soda water now. There are so many fancy drinks, mixtures, 'nerve ticklers,' 'stomach bracers' and 'throat coolers,' you can't expect an inexperienced boy to come behind the counter and serve customers without an apprenticeship. He would be rattled if a customer should come in hurriedly and ask for a 'phosphated mixed nerver.' Where would he be? Then there is the 'plain phosphate' and the 'deep rock slask,' all easy drinks to concoct when you understand the wrinkle.

"Look at all these faucet valves on the face of this fountain. They not only let out all the mineral waters known, but the various sweet extracts of fruit the ladies are so fond of. But the fountain is too small to contain the other ingredients for fancy and substantial drinks. We keep a shelf under the counter with bottles ready for use and a heater to furnish warm drinks. Some years ago Vichy, Kissingen, sarsaparilla and drinks of that kind were all the go, but now new fangled mixtures divide the honors. Men drink Vichy more than women. The latter do not care much for the mineral waters and nerve drinks; they want sweet extracts and soda. Women occasionally try a bouillon-snifter, but they are few and far between. Some fellow who ain't much on science, I think, has started the report that Vichy is devitalizing. It has had an effect on its sale.

"Men who patronize soda fountains regularly don't like straight drinks. They ask for a little lime juice, phosphate or ginger to kind of tone up the taste of the liquor. It appears to me they look happier when they hear the 'squirt, squirt, squirt,' from the bottle into their drinks. So you see no gawky, everyday man can step in and do what it takes us years to learn. I am going to try and get my boss to start a fountain higher uptown where nothing but 'nervers' are sold. What are 'nervers?' Why, I mean nerve drinks, 'constitution bracers' and 'phosphaters.' Hundreds of men every day say to me aside: 'Say, gimme suthing to brace me up, kinder!' That's the business I want to do, the 'brace up' business."—New York Mail and Express.

The Clerk's All Seeing Eyes.

During the late Christmas holidays a large firm in B—— employed as an assistant clerk a young man who was exceedingly cross eyed. The especial duty assigned to him was to act as watchman and prevent the peculation of all sorts of small fancy articles that were lying about the counters for exhibition at that time.

One day a half grown boy came into the store, and after looking all around, pricing first one thing and then another, among which were some very nice socks, he finally started to go out of the door. At this moment the new clerk touched him lightly on the shoulder, and, inviting him to come to the back part of the store, said to him politely, "Oblige me by giving me back at once the socks that you have in your back pocket."

"How do you know I have any socks in my back pocket?" demanded the boy in a bold tone.

"I saw you put them there," said the clerk very gently.

The boy looked up into the young man's face in utter amazement. "Are you looking at me now?" he asked earnestly. "Do you see me this very minute?" he asked still more earnestly.

"Of course I do," replied the clerk.

"Good Lord, mister!" cried the boy with a blanching face; "here's your socks!" And with a bound he was out the back door, over the fence and away, having learned a lesson concerning all seeing eyes which it is to be hoped he may never forget.—Philadelphia Times.

The Frozen Milk of Siberia.

The people in Siberia buy their milk frozen, and for convenience it is allowed to freeze about a stick, which comes as a handle to carry it by. The milkman leaves one chunk or two chunks, as the case may be, at the houses of his customers. The children in Irkutsk, instead of crying for a drink of milk, cry for a bite of milk. The people there in the winter time do not say, "Be careful not to spill the milk," but "Be careful not to break the milk." Broken milk is better than spilled milk, though, because there is an opportunity to save the pieces. A quart of frozen milk on a stick is a formidable weapon in the hand of an angry man or boy, as it possible to knock a person down with it. Irkutsk people hang their milk on hooks instead of putting it in pans, though, of course, when warm spring weather comes on, they have to use the pans or pails, as the milk begins to melt and drop from the hooks.—The Argonaut.

His Compliments to Osman.

A prominent actor in the Russo-Turkish struggle of 1877-'78 died the other day at St. Petersburg after a brief illness. It was the general aide-de-camp and general of infantry, Jean Stepanovitch Ganetsky, commanding the fortress in that city.

He was at the head of the Grenadier corps before Plevna, and it was he who triumphantly repelled the attack of Osman Pasha, when the latter essayed to lead his army through the circle of fire with which the late Gen. Todleben had surrounded him. After his victory Gen. Ganetsky insisted on the unconditional surrender of the enemy, and Osman was forced to submit.

Meeting the Turkish general shortly afterwards Ganetsky took off his hat to his vanquished adversary, and holding out his hand, said:

"My sincere compliments; your attack was admirably led."—Paris Cor. New York Graphic.

Had Tried That.

"I see," he observed to his young friend from the east, "that it is now the proper thing to carry around a cork in your vest pocket and place it in your ear when you meet a bore."

"Awfully, but I shall never, never try it again. It was a cork that sent me into this general decline."

"How do you mean?"

"Why, fathah was talking to me and I corked my ear, and he drove the cork into my brain with a slap of his hand-ah. We've probed, but it's no use."—Detroit Free Press.

Use for Cast Off Horseshoes.

A Chinaman has discovered that cast off horseshoes make good cutler's steel. The wrought iron of the shoes having been constantly hammered on the roads, acquires hardness and the animal heat from the hoof has something to do with it.—Chicago Times.

Mortality in London.

The figures representing the mortality of a great city like London for a single week are appalling. During the week ending Jan. 1, 1887, there were registered in that city 1,899 deaths, of which 144 were from measles, 25 from scarlet fever, 27 from whooping cough and 17 from typhoid fever; 74 deaths were caused from violence, 66 being the result of negligence or accident and 7 being suicides.—Public Opinion.

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Victoria, Dec. 4, 1886. MOSES LENZ.
GUSTAV LEISER.
Witness, THEODORE DAVIE.

NOTICE.

THIRTY DAYS AFTER DATE I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a Prospecting License for De Courcy Group and Tree Islands, being 480 acres more or less.
THOMAS LLOYD DAVIES.
Victoria, B. C., June 6, 1887. jo6 1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have made application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a License to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land containing 960 acres, more or less, situated on Valdes Island, in a bay about 8 miles north of Seymour Narrows, commencing at a stake at the head of the bay, running south half a mile; thence west 2 miles; thence north half a mile; thence east 3 miles to point of commencement.
WILLIAM BARRETTE.
Victoria, June 6, 1887. jo6 1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION has been made to the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, by Mr. J. Roland Hett, for an order for registration of the title of Susan Sims Ford to the east half of Victoria City Lot No. 848, and that in pursuance of the order made upon the said application I intend to register the title of the said Susan Sims Ford to the said half lot at the expiration of one calendar month from date.
Dated 17th June, 1887.
CHAS. J. LEGGATT,
jo17 1m Registrar General of Titles.

Notice To Creditors.

The creditors of A. W. & C. L. Hason are requested to send in their claims, duly certified, to the office of J. H. TODD & SON on or before the 15th day of July next, on which day the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have notice; and the said assignees will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims they shall not have notice at the time of said distribution.
J. C. DEVLIN, C. F. TODD, } Assignees.
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Estate of William Lohse, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE will of the deceased, dated 21st December, 1886, has been admitted to probate by the Hon. H. P. P. Crease, a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that all persons indebted to or having claims against the Estate are to make payment or application for payment, as the case may be, at the office of Mr. Theodore Davie, corner Bastion and Langley Streets, where a copy of the will can be inspected.
Dated May 21st, 1887.
THOMAS GEIGER, CHAS. J. PHILLIPS, THEODORE DAVIE, } Executors.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an assessment of two cents per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 20th day of July, 1887, from and after which date all shares on which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.
By order of the Directors.
GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Dated 16th June, 1887. jo 25-D&Wtd

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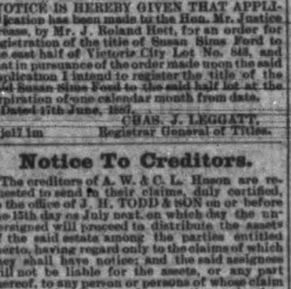

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Land Applications.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56 Sooke District, thence due north 60 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 160 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.
R. E. JACKSON.
Victoria, B. C. 6th Dec, 1886. dec 6 1aw-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situated on East side of upper Columbia Lake, on a small Creek about 2½ miles South of Armstrong Creek: the South East corner of said land to commence at an initial stake on said Creek and run thence North ½ mile, thence West ½ mile to shore of lake, thence South ½ mile along lake shore and thence East ½ mile to initial stake.
WM. HARDIE.
Columbia Lakes, Kootenay B. C. April 28th 1887.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains; thence due west 160 chains; more or less, to Sooke River, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.
M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 1aw-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 55, 47, 46 Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.
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Victoria, Thursday, July 7, 1887.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.*

—The Fraser river is falling slowly. The mosquitoes are extremely troublesome.

—For a delicious MILK PUNCH or a genuine COCKTAIL go to the Pritchard House. *

—The weather is warm on the mainland. Farmers will soon be busy hay making.

—Banjos, Guitars, Violins and Zithers, etc., at lower prices than ever, at M. W. Waitt & Co's music store. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—BABY CARRIAGES, the cheapest and best in the city at SHORE & ANDERSON'S, Douglas street. *

—It is proposed to erect the City Hall on the site of the reading room, near the post-office, and the market buildings on Lytton Square, New Westminster.

—CLEAR THE TRACK—Give Pendray & Co.'s QUEEN JUBILEE SOAP a show; it is the best ever offered to the public as a laundry and toilet soap combined; try it.*

—Frank Davis, the whilom proprietor of the Belvidere restaurant, was seen in Tacoma a few days ago. He said he would return (?) to Victoria on Friday.

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—Mr. Kelly, of the Caledonia Hotel, Port Moody, is building a two-story frame hotel at the junction, some two miles east of the port.

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Hudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work.

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—The raffle for the Broadwood Piano will take place at M. W. Waitt's & Co's music store on Thursday, July 7th, at 8 p.m. Persons holding tickets will please attend. *

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call. *

—The sockeyes are appearing in great numbers in the Fraser river. One of Mr. Vianen's fishermen captured 82 in one net Sunday night. This will be welcome news to the cannerymen as well as to all British Columbians.

—D. R. MUNRO, General S. S. Agent for Cunard, Guion, Albany, Dominion, Inman and all S. S. Co.'s. Prepaid passages at most favorable rates. Every berth secured on sale. *

—Mr. Chas Spring, who has recently arrived from the west coast, reports that sealing schooner Discovery, owned by Indians, was lost in the straits a short time ago, and also three canoes from the schooner Ada.

—Miss Hattie Heinrich, of this city, well known in amateur musical circles, left this morning for Tacoma to join her intended, D. S. Baernstein, who resides there as a musical professor. They will be joined in wedlock this week.

—Three first-class teams of draught horses, weight ranging from 1200 to 1500 pounds each, wagons and harness complete; also one mare suitable for family use, weight 1050, for sale. Apply to J. Heggerty, Rae St., between Douglas and Blanchard streets.

—Mr. James Leamy, of New Westminster, has the contract on hand for the erection of two snow sheds in the Rockies; one at the Three Valley Lake and the other at the Summit, each of which is to be 1,800 feet long. A gang of men is already at work on the job.

Hotel Arrivals.

At the Driard: R A Dodge and wife, J F Spars, Mrs H L Cutter, Mrs Dr Essig, Miss Patterson, Spokane Falls; J G McCallum, E H Averill, Portland; P E Herman, Vancouver; C A Hungall, Walla Walla; S B Sweeny, U S A; Jno McLeod, Walter Van Bromly, J A Dewry, O C Hartman, Duluth; Norman Braden, Miss B Braden, Miss M Aldrich, Walla Walla; A R Davis, Napanee, Ont; Dr F A Pomeroy, Cheney, W T; C H Dittman, New York; O F Casher, Seattle; E H Gardner, Philadelphia; W E Bowen, Philadelphia; Fred T Butler, Toronto; Thos Downie, Wm Katz, Donald; Hon J C Aikins, Mrs Aikins, Miss Somerset, L Clarke, Winnipeg; W F Tirfuell, London; Herbert Torr, Cambridge, Eng; J A Fletcher and wife, Woodstock; Sir Wm Wiseman, H M S Caroline; J Kenny, Vancouver.

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Provincial Court.

Jack Elliot, the would-be murderer of the Indian woman Louisa was before this court this morning and again remanded.

Base Ball.

An interesting match game of base ball played at Beacon Hill yesterday between the Portlands and Amities resulted in a victory for the former by six runs. A large number of people were on the grounds. The game was called at 4:30 and occupied two and a half hours. Following is the score:

PORTLANDS.

	R.	1B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Connolly	5	0	0	14	0	0
Buchtel	2	2	2	1	2	0
Rushy	1	1	1	1	5	1
Neale	2	1	1	3	0	2
Smith	2	1	1	1	1	1
Robus	0	1	1	8	2	1
Glendenning	1	2	2	0	0	0
Lee	1	0	0	1	5	1
Timmons	0	0	0	3	2	1
Total	15	8	8	27	18	10

AMITIES.

	R.	1B.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
G. Gowen	2	1	1	0	0	1
Duck	0	0	0	3	0	1
N. Gowen	1	1	3	3	2	1
Hannan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Borthwick	1	2	2	2	2	0
Kuna	1	0	0	9	0	1
Gus. Gowen	0	1	1	7	2	2
Tiedeman	0	0	0	1	0	1
Jackson	1	1	1	2	0	0
Total	8	6	7	27	11	7

SUMMARY.

Time of game, 2:30; first base on called balls, Amities, 2; Portlands, 2; hit by pitcher, Gus Gowen, 1; struck out, Amities, 5; Portlands, 2.

The visitors were entertained with a dance at Denny's Hall last evening and left for home by the Sound steamer this morning.

Fun on the Fourth.

The balance of the Victoria fire department that went to Tacoma to spend the Fourth returned yesterday, and express themselves as being highly pleased in the manner in which they were treated by their brother firemen there. On arriving at Tacoma they were shown to their quarters in the Mann building where all the firemen from Vancouver, Spokane and Seattle were quartered. After making their beds they went out in the evening to do the town, and on coming back were surprised to find that but three beds had any clothes. After bestowing their blessings in a liberal manner on the heads of those that had taken them they were forced to get what sleep they could by laying down in their uniforms. On getting up in the morning they found that the Vancouverites were the guilty party, they having taken them with the excuse that "We thought the Seattle boys were in there," and there is no doubt that it was through the blessings called down on their heads by our boys that caused them to lose in the hose contest, as they made the fastest time to the hydrant but missed the connection.

Serious Accident.

Whilst Mr. Thos. Milne, of Gordon Head, was driving into the city yesterday morning with his milk wagon, the horse stumbled over some loose stones on the road and in falling drew the cart over it, and throwing Mr. Milne violently to the ground with such force that he received a serious wound over his left eye, cutting the face to the bone and inflicting a nasty wound across the eye. He bled profusely for a time. Dr. Milne was driven for and lost no time in reaching the wounded man. The doctor dressed his sores and thinks that the eye, with proper care, will be preserved. It will be some days before the patient will be able to resume his wonted avocations. Attentive nursing and perfect rest will accomplish all in a short time.

Grand Concerts.

The New York Philharmonic Club will give two grand concerts at the Victoria Theatre on Saturday and Monday evenings. The Club is under the management of Mr. C. H. Dittman, and comprises the following distinguished artists: Richard Arnold, violin; Friedhold Hemmann, viola; Emil Schenck, violincello; Eugene Weiner, flute; Ludwig Schenck, violin; August Kalkhof, double bass; Mme Annie Louise Tanner, prima donna, soprano. The Club is spoken of in terms of the highest praise by the press wherever they have appeared. A musical performance of a high order may be expected. Reserved seats can be secured at Lombard's music store.

The Two Flags.

Captain Wiseman, of H. M. S. Caroline, closed a very neat little speech at Tacoma with the following prophetic words which may be said to be almost true of the present day: "The ties between our countries have been growing stronger for years, and these gatherings serve to strengthen them. The day, I think, is not far distant when we shall share each others joys and sorrows and feelings, and burn with one love without resentment." Three rousing cheers greeted the captain's address.

Gladstone Cigars.

Copious Supply.

The steam pump imported from New York to force a supply of water to the higher levels was put in position at the electric light works and a highly satisfactory test made yesterday. The higher areas received a copious supply of *aqua pura*, and the dry land rejoiced so to speak. The use of the steam fire engine on Fort street will be discontinued.

Tony Cigars,

Musical Convention.

The B. B. George Concert and Convention Co. will give a free concert in the Methodist Church, Pandora street, next Tuesday evening, July 12th; object to organize a musical convention. All interested in vocal music should not miss this concert. *

The Place for Bargains.

J. Sehl has just opened, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, Carpets, Oil Cloth and Linoleum, a complete line of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, and Bar Glasses, the finest ever offered in the country, at remarkably low prices, having arrived before the advance in freight rates.

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PERSONALS.

Col. Baker, M. P. P., arrived from Kootenay last evening. He reports his part of the province in a flourishing condition.

Mr. Robt. Landells, B. A., of Halifax, recently in charge of the Woodstock, N. B. High School, is in the city.

Mr. Thos. Downie, train dispatcher at Donald is in the city visiting.

Rev. Father Nicolaye of Clayoquot Sound has arrived from the west coast.

Messrs. Aldermen D. Oppenheimer and R. H. Alexander, of Vancouver came down last evening.

Miss M. Kipp, Mrs. A. H. Gillanders and Mrs. D. M. Gilliveay, of Chilliwhack are in the city.

Mr. H. H. Gillanders, of Chilliwhack, was a passenger by the Yosemite last night.

Contractor J. G. Macdonald is in the city.

Mr. W. Wolfenden, of Port Haney, is in the city. Mr. Wolfenden is largely interested in the brick yard with Mr. Beckett at that point.

Mr. L. T. Appelby, of the Maple Grove Dairy Company, Matsqui, is stopping at the Clarence.

Rev. Wm. Ladner, who has been in the province for over a year, will leave on Monday for St. John, N. B., where his family reside. Mr. Ladner came to the province in ill-health but leaves almost completely restored to his wonted strength and vigor and will carry away with him nothing but the best impressions of British Columbia and its people. He will leave behind him many warm friends who look forward to his return at an early date.

The Rev. P. McF. McLeod and Mr. Gideon Robertson will take a trip to the mainland to-morrow morning taking the river route. They will return on Saturday evening.

Mr. T. Downie, chief train despatcher at Donald, is in the city and a guest at the Driard.

Mr. W. Chrow, who for the past four years has been in the employ of Mr. H. Saunders, grocer, Johnson street, left this morning for Spokane Falls, where he will begin business.

Mr. W. F. Osterhout, of the Brunswick, leaves for a visit to his old home in Picton, Ont., early next week. A ticket for two, it is hinted, will be required on his return.

SUPREME COURT.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J., and a Special Jury.)

Findlay, Durham & Brodie vs. Berrill and Boscowitz.—This was an action to recover the sum of $16,000 odd alleged to be due by the defendant Berrill to plaintiffs upon the plant and machinery of a cannery and saw mill at Nass river. The defendant Boscowitz had been added to the suit upon the alleged ground of his having retained possession of the plant as security for the payment of $4,000 claimed by him as shipping charges thereon. In the case of Boscowitz a non-suit was ordered. A verdict for the amount claimed was rendered against Berrill.

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Our Indians.

Supt. Bloomfield, who had charge of the Victoria Indians who visited Tacoma this week to participate in the festivities of that city, speaks in high praise of the manner in which the braves behaved themselves. Their conduct the Chief considers to have been admirable and elicited much favorable comment from the visitors who observed them and their capabilities as oarsmen. They carried off the first prize of $75 in the boat race, notwithstanding the fact that they were short-handed by four men. In another race, although likewise short, they came off second best. Chief of Police Fuller, of Tacoma, was extremely kind. Supt. Bloomfield doubts if better treatment could be given them were they princes of blood royal.

A Tacoma Fire.

On the evening of the Fourth as the fireworks were drawing to a close at Tacoma, the cry of fire was raised when it was found that a wooden building next to a large hotel was in flames. It is needless to say that the Victoria boys were the first on the spot, they having laid the hose that obtained first water and assisted until the fire was subdued, getting thoroughly drenched in the bargain, especially a well-known Hook & Ladder man who was the first on the building, he being a prominent mark for the streams from both sides of the building.

Music in the Park.

The Triumph's band under Signor Agius will perform the following selections at Beacon Hill, Saturday, at 3 o'clock:

1. March ..... In the Tropics — A. Agius.
2. Selection ..... Reminiscences of Mozart — F. Godfrey.
3. Waltz ..... Star and Garter — J. Strauss.
4. Selection ..... Ruddygore — Sir A. Sullivan.
5. Galop ..... L'Etincelle, (The Spark) — M. Duard.
6. Spanish Serenade ..... La Paloma — J. Hartmann.

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On the Broad Road.

Three inebriates appeared in the Police Court this morning and were disposed of in the usual manner. All three were not long ago sober, industrious citizens; one at least being a man of many brilliant parts and engaged in an honorable calling, but like his comrades, he is now far on the road that leads to destruction.

The First.

The Mexico brought from San Francisco a shipment of leather and flour—a carload of each—for Yokohama, which will be transferred at Vancouver to the steamship Parthia. This is a direct blow at the P. M. S. S. Co. and the O. & O. Co.'s line from San Francisco to the Orient.

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Direct from the grove of Frelligsburg; the first of the season, NEUFELDER & ROSS.

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SATURDAY, JULY 16.

As the owners of three-year olds are not satisfied as to which is the possessor of the fastest horse, I now offer a

PURSE OF $50,

To be run for on the above date. Quarter mile dash for $25, 1st, $25.

Match Foot Race—$100 a side. Entrance fee 15 per cent; 1 to enter and 2 to start.

Entries to be made at Pritchard House on the evening of the 15th inst.

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JOHN TAGGER, Architect.

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TO CREDITORS.

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against the late C. Bagazzoni are hereby notified to send the same to Mrs. C. Bagazzoni, Yates street, or to A. Bossi, corner of Yates and Broad streets, on or before the 1st day of August next.

jul2 td A. BOSSI, Executor.

CARD OF THANKS.

THE undersigned begs to thank Mr. Lesak and other neighbors, Engineer Phillips and the Fire Brigade for their timely aid in suppressing the recent fire in his premises.

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Victoria, July 4, 1887. jul4

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One hundred head of Beef Cattle, more or less, between two and four years old.

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F. L. JONES,
C. L. SUMLER, } Executors.
CHAS. DE PENIN,

Ashcroft, B. C., June 15, 1887. jel9-jul12